WHEREAS, there was a shortage of milking machines in Salem, South Dakota in 1969, and a run on milking machine salesmen, and

WHEREAS, South Dakotens had come to define leadership as 'one of us', a courageous representative of the people; and

WHEREAS, South Dakota is the people, and

WHEREAS, courage is the man; and

WHEREAS, South Dakotans found that man of courage in the person of a milking machine salesman from Sulem South Dakota; and

WHEREAS, this man was not only a man of courage, but concern, and

WHEREAS, courage, concern and people are, at any given point, what South Dakota's future is all about, and

WHEREAS, the old and the young, the rich and the poer, the farmer and the laborer, the businessman and the public officer, the Indian and the white man DID lay aside their divisions to take up that which unites us as South Dakotans, under the leadership of this man, and

WHEREAS, South Dakotans finally were able to look aboad, not to the past, and to work one with the other for a state we all love and a future of new accomplishment, under the loadership of this man; and

WHEREAS, South Dakotans were able to begin anew, with confidence in our destiny and a renewed faith; and

WHEREAS, people became the government, rather than l'ierre being the government; and

WHEREAS, warinth and life became a part of the Pierre scene, the capitol and the mansion, and for 8 years this man, 3 vivacious, vital and delightful lady and 8 rembunctious, beautiful young men have humanized the seat of government,

NOW, THEREFORE WE, THE SOUTH DAKOTA DEMOCRATS DO PROCLAIM Saturday, June 24, 1978, as

KNEIP DAY

in South Dakota and join with the over 191,090 of our Party who wish them peace, love and joy always.

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HERB CHEEVER, DEMOCRATIC CHAIR

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LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

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